



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Date September 26, 2005

In re the Application of

Yoshihito OWA

Group Art Unit: 2818

Application No.: 10/782,950

Examiner: N. NGO

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Docket No.: 118825

For: NON-VOLATILE SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY DEVICE AND METHOD OF
MANUFACTURING THE SAME

**LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1st - 3rd EXTENSION
OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND
TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17**

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official Action in the above-identified patent application. The shortened statutory period having expired August 25, 2005, an extension of time for a period of 1 month is hereby requested. Attached hereto is our Check No. 171225 in the amount of \$120 in payment for:

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